

نَعْتُ وَمَنْعُوتٌ

نَعْتُ



Adjective

مَنْعُوتٌ



Qualifying Noun

The نَعْتُ (adjective) in Arabic follows the مَنْعُوتٌ (noun it qualifies) in the following 4 cases:

1. Gender: The نَعْتُ (adjective) follows the مَنْعُوتٌ (qualifying noun) in gender, so if the noun is feminine then the adjective is also feminine e.g.

بَيْتٌ صَغِيرٌ
طَالِبَةٌ صَغِيرَةٌ

2. Definite: The نَعْتُ (adjective) follows the مَنْعُوتٌ (qualifying noun) in definiteness, so if the مَنْعُوتٌ is definite then the نَعْتُ is also definite e.g.

الْمُدْرَسُ الْجَدِيدُ فِي الْفَصْلِ

3. Case: The نَعْتُ (adjective) takes the same case endings as the مَنْعُوتٌ (qualifying noun) e.g.

هَذَا بَيْتٌ جَدِيدٌ
أَنَا فِي بَيْتٍ جَدِيدٍ
الْبَيْتُ الْجَدِيدُ جَمِيلٌ

4. Plural: The نَعْتُ (adjective) follows the مَنْعُوتٌ (qualifying noun) in number e.g.

طَالِبٌ وَاحِدٌ
طَالِبَانِ اثْنَانِ
الرِّجَالُ الْقِصَارُ ذَهَبُوا إِلَى السُّوقِ